

# THE LAW OF SAFETY.

Starving Women With Three Children  
Kill Two to Save One.

London Journalist Cables That Turkish Atrocities Are Underestimated, and That Europe Is Bound to Intervene. Massacre Confirmed.

London, Sept. 18.—The Westminster Gazette, says a well known London journalist, cables from Belgrade as follows:

"Starting with pro-Turkish sympathies, I have found overwhelming evidence convincing and proving that the Turkish atrocities are rather underestimated in the reports of British consul. A banker and unprejudiced, tells me he knows cases of starving women in the forests killing two of their own children to preserve the third. The forest wanderers will all perish with cold within two months. 'Europe,' adds the Westminster Gazette, dealing with the Kastoria reports, 'is bound at once to intervene, whether by conference or by concert.'

## MASSACRE

Of People of Kastoria, 10,000 in Number. Was Indescribable.

Sofia, Bulgaria, Sept. 18.—Further reports from Kastoria as the city is burning and that the massacre of its population (estimated to have numbered 10,000 persons) was indescribably terrible. The Turks slaughtered indiscriminately Bulgarians, men, women and children.

## Insurgents Win.

Sofia, September 18.—A Turkish war balloon is reported to have been sent on the last three days close to the Bulgarian frontier in the vicinity of Haskovo.

A severe fight has occurred at Ulitzka, in the mountains of Kratovo, between 2,000 Turks and 8,000 insurgents. It continued for eight hours. The insurgents used bombs with a deadly effect. About one hundred of the Turks are reported to have been killed and many were wounded. The insurgents had two men wounded.

The emperors of Germany and Austria meet at Vienna today. The czar meets Emperor Francis Joseph, Sept. 29, and will then visit the king of Italy. Events are expected to remain unchanged until after these visits, unless Bulgaria refuses to wait.

Despite the fact that the Balkan situation has grown worse, Turkish funds rose again on the Bourse today.

## AN OLD PART WITH REALISM.

San Francisco, Sept. 18.—Mrs. Elizabeth Saunders, an actress, well known to theatre goers, a decade ago, is resting quietly away at her home, her death being only the natural end of a few days, according to the statement of the attending physicians.

Mrs. Saunders first appeared before the public fifty years ago. Her name on the stage, was Anderson, and she is a cousin of Joseph Jefferson, and of Wm. Warren, the character actor. Her rendition of old women's parts was considered without a peer.

# GOING BACK TO DIXIE DAYS.

Pennsylvania Bank Creates Excitement in Pittsburgh by Interest Offer.

Pittsburgh, Sept. 18.—Considerable interest was created among Pittsburghers today, by the announcement that the Second National bank, at Connellsville, Pa., one of the strongest institutions of the coke region, had decided on Tuesday, to hereafter pay a percent interest on savings accounts. The purpose of the officials is to induce those who have been

bothering wealth at home to place the money in banks. Unusual demand for money inspired the launching of the new plan. It is claimed that the action of the Connellsville bank in paying five per cent, is the first taken since the rebellion by any banking institution in the United States. Pittsburgh bankers do not fear any disturbance of money conditions as a result of the increased rate.

## NEW WOMAN PUSHING FORWARD.

New York, Sept. 18.—For the first time in the history of Columbia University, a woman has been directly appointed to a professorship by the board of trustees. The new professor

## WILL CONFER IN COLUMBUS.

Important Meeting of Republican Dignitaries Will Put on the Finishing Touches.

Cleveland, Ohio, Sept. 18.—Senator Hanna, Col. Myron T. Herrick and Elmer Dover, Mr. Hanna's private secretary, left for Columbus, at noon today. Tonight a conference, attended by Senator Hanna, Col. Herrick, Gen. Dick, chairman of the republican state committee, and a number of other leaders in the party, will be held. At this meeting the final plans for the campaign, will be perfected. It is understood that the plans of the speakers who will stump the state in the interest of the republican ticket as well as the itineraries of Senator Hanna, Col. Herrick and others will be announced at the conclusion of tonight's conference.

Messrs. Hanna and Herrick will spend tonight in Columbus, going thence to Chillicothe, when the republican campaign will be opened tomorrow.

## MINE CLOSED DOWN BECAUSE IT IS UNSAFE.

Mahanoy City, Pa., Sept. 18.—The Mahanoy City colliery, of the Philadelphia and Reading Coal and Iron Co., employing 800 men, was closed down today, owing to the unsafe condition of the mine.

## GASOLINE EXPLOSION.

Young Seminambulist Turned It On While Asleep, With Fatal Results.

St. Louis, Sept. 18.—Mrs. Mary E. Jahn and her 13-year-old daughter Pearl died today from burns caused by gasoline, and Hardy, the ten-year-old son of the woman, who turned the explosive fluid on in his sleep cannot live. The boy had been in the habit of helping his mother about the stove during the day. He was a somnambulist and in his sleep last night turned on and lighted the stove. A fire resulted that burned Mrs. Jahn and Pearl, who ran to the boy's aid.

## INDEFINITELY CLOSED.

Shamokin, Pa., Sept. 18.—The Cameron and Luke Fidler collieries, owned by the Mineral and Mining Co., employing 2500 men, have been closed down indefinitely today, owing to the dull coal trade.

## WORST FLOOD FOR A DECADE.

Thousands of Acres Along River Submerged, and Water Still Rising.

La Crosse, Wis., Sept. 18.—The worst flood experienced in this portion of the Mississippi valley for years is submerging thousands of acres of farm lands along the river, sweeping away stacks of hay and grain, drowning live stock and doing inestimable damage.

The flood has reached La Crosse and the lower side. Fifty families have been forced to move out of their homes. This morning the river had overflowed the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul tracks on the levee and goods were being moved out of the lower floors of a long lot of wholesale houses, where it is expected the water will enter by tonight. The river is still rising half an inch an hour.

Today the stage was 12.5, a half foot above the danger point.

The mill dam and part of the mill at Mishamokwa are washed away; at Mondovi both mill dams are out and much live stock drowned.

Communication with the rural districts in this vicinity is entirely cut off owing to innumerable bridges being washed out. Three saw mills in this city have been forced to stop work and thousands of dollars worth of lumber and wood piled up in the yards is in danger of being washed away.

The local weather observer predicts that the river will rise nearly a foot more at this point.

## LOGICAL SEQUENCE.

Aberdeen, Scotland, Sept. 18.—Prof. Alexander Bain, formerly Lord Rector of the university here, and for twenty years professor of logic and English literature, is dead.

## ELEVEN WITNESSES HEAR SHOTS.

Cynthiana, Ky., Sept. 18.—In the trial of Curtis Jett today, for killing Town Marshal Thomas Cockrell, 11 witnesses testified that they heard the shots fired and immediately afterward saw Jett come out of the court house, thus corroborating these of yes-

terday. Harrison Blanton said he heard Jett say:

"This is the forty-fifth that I laid low and I'll visit my kin folks."

Noah Peters and Robert Bliske described Jett's actions after the shooting when he came out of the court house.

## PETER STILL A LIVING MAN.

Story of Assassination Traced to Excited Condition at Belgrade.

Paris, Sept. 18.—An unconfirmed rumor was circulated on the Bourse here today that King Peter of Servia had been assassinated.

## REPORT

Was Attributed to Excited Conditions at Belgrade.

Paris, Sept. 18.—The foreign office has no information regarding the rumored assassination of the king of Ser-

## COLD BLASTS TOUCH GRAIN.

Frost Was Prevalent Over Middle and Western States Last Night.

Kansas City, Sept. 18.—The weather conditions throughout Kansas and Western Missouri last night, were much the same as on the previous night, except that the thermometer did not register quite so low a figure.

The sky was clear and frost occurred at several points, but was not severe enough to kill. The mercury at Kansas City registered 48 degrees at 6 o'clock this morning. It is not believed that the corn is damaged to any great extent. The local weather indications for this section are for a warmer weather. Springfield, Mo., reports a temperature of 42 degrees with frost. In Kansas, frost prevails at Manhattan.

**Whiskey Didn't Freeze.**

Bloomington, Ill., Sept. 18.—Reports from all sections of central Illinois, indicate that while there was a heavy frost, the first of the season, the corn escaped.

**Cold and Clear.**

St. Louis, Mo., Sept. 18.—No frost was reported by the weather bureau in this vicinity, although the weather was cold and clear this morning. The temperature which was 47 degrees at 7 a. m. is rising.

**Get Away Down.**

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**Hot Chicago Chilled.**

Chicago, Sept. 18.—At seven o'clock this morning, a heavy frost prevailed here and in northern Illinois. The local temperature was 41 degrees. Considerable damage is believed to have been done to corn.

Omaha, Neb., Sept. 18.—No frost was perceptible in Omaha this morning and the temperature at 7 a. m. was about 50 above. There was a moderation over the state during the night, and it is not believed the predicted frost appeared at any point.

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## A CRISIS AT HAND.

What Will Happen Next to England No One Can Tell.

Liberal Organs Announce the Wreck of Tory Party, Which It Describes as Hamlet Without a Prince—The Cabinet Will Re-organize.

London, Sept. 18.—Consternation and excitement caused by the dramatic announcement of Joseph Chamberlain's resignation of the secretaryship for the colonies prevails among all classes in the United Kingdom, to the exclusion of every other topic. The great majority of the public learned the news from the morning papers and their astonishment in many cases was so great as to prevent the expressions of any coherent opinion. The Pall Mall Gazette this afternoon aptly sum up the general feeling by describing the present crisis as the "most extraordinary in the whole history of constitutional government," adding that what will happen next no one can foresee with any degree of absolute certainty.

Lord Rothschild's statement yesterday to the Associated Press, however, can safely be taken as an indication that the duke intends to support Mr. Balfour at any rate until parliament meets.

The government organs frankly admit that Mr. Chamberlain's withdrawal came as a bombshell. The liberal organs, though announcing the "wreck of the Tory party," which is described as being "Hamlet" without the prince, nearly all agreed in saying that Mr. Chamberlain's resignation does not mean a victory for free trade. "Though the man is gone," says the Star, "his policy remains." This is Mr. Chamberlain's Elba. He has yet to meet his Waterloo.

This is brought out by reports from Birmingham, where the powerful organization in favor of preferential tariffs is centered. There, though the resignation of the head and shoulders of the movement came as a great surprise, ceaseless activity prevails and it is announced that Mr. Chamberlain's previous arrangements for his campaign will all be carried out.

**Will Transfer Broderick.**

London, Sept. 18.—The Associated Press learns there is good reason to believe that the report that War Secretary Broderick will be transferred to the Indian office is correct.

The new cabinet is expected to meet within a fortnight.

## STORY OF A STORM ON THE DAY AFTER.

Light-House Shifted From Its Foundation, and Supplies Ruined. Barge Flying Signal of Distress Was on Fire.

Philadelphia, Pa., Sept. 18.—The at Rehoboth, Del., with her forecastle gone and sails blown to ribbons.

**All on Board Lost.**

Philadelphia, Pa., Sept. 18.—A despatch to the Maritime Exchange from Atlantic City says the Red Dragon was wrecked and probably all on board were lost. The little vessel started from Atlantic City on Tuesday for a long fishing cruise, having on board a party consisting of Captain J. Clark, John Swanson, wife and children, Simeon Ducasse, and John Adams. The body of Captain Clark and another body supposed to be that of Ducasse washed ashore today and it is presumed the others were also drowned.

Another body supposed to be that of J. L. Swanson, is reported to have been washed ashore at Bear Haven, N. J. It is said John Adams, Mrs. Swanson and the latter's son and daughter, were also on the wrecked boat.

There is no hope that any of the party escaped drowning as it is regarded as unlikely that there could have been any attempt at rescue by passing vessels during the severe storm of Wednesday.

## A FEW SOLAR PLEXUS BLOWS.

Dresden, Saxony, Sept. 18.—At today's session of the socialist congress Herr Von Volmar spoke for four hours in reply to Herr Bebel. The essence of his discourse was that there was no crisis in the party, except a personal crisis, Herr Bebel seeing with supreme positif.

## JOHNSON WAS MET BY LARGE CROWDS.

Delayed by Accident, Clarke Held Audience by Telling It, That When "Tom Promised to Do Anything, He Did It."

New Philadelphia, Sept. 17. (Special Correspondence).—This being most of the time democratic city in a closely democratic county, it was assumed that the meeting here would be a success and the speakers were prepared for a crowd. The outpouring exceeded all expectations. The tent was not "packed to suffocation" or anything resembling such a condition; there were between 5,000 and 6,000 people in. On the outside, however, there were nearly 3,000 more. The temperature was oppressive and those who remained on the outside for comfort's sake were able to hear about as well as those under the canvas. Senator Hurst, "Billy" Alberson and other leading democrats predict that, as a result of this meeting, judging from the size of the crowd and its temper, that the county will go democratic this fall by a majority several hundred larger than it has gone for years. Senator Clark came to the city by rail today while Mayor Johnson went down the Ohio river valley to Bridgeport in the "red devil," and then across the hills to Cadiz, Dennison, Urichsville and New Philadelphia. Mr. Clark opened the meeting in the mayor's absence, F. A. Alberson acting as chairman.

Eight o'clock came and then 8:30 o'clock, but still the mayor failed to show up. Not a word had been heard from him during the day and the crowd which had gathered around the corner he faced a crowd of four of five hundred people, bear him becoming discouraged. While it is probable most of them

"Mr. Johnson will be here, I vouch for that," remarked Mr. Clark several times. "Something may have happened to his machine down in the hills of Belmont, but he'll be here to make a speech tonight, if he has to walk in. When Mr. Johnson promises to do anything he does it."

At just fifteen minutes of 9 o'clock the chug chug of the red devil was heard down the street. There were cheering hundreds all the way along the streets and when the mayor entered the tent Mr. Clark's speech was temporarily suspended, while the people

rose and shouted. It was one of the best meetings of the campaign in spirit as well as in attendance.

The "red devil" today covered between 75 and 80 miles of ground. At Bridgeport he arrived nearly two hours late, owing to the red devil's sparker having gone on a strike. Several hundred people had waited on the public square with a band, which started "Dixie Land" when the carmine flyer was sighted a mile away.

"How did you folks know I was born down south," laughed the mayor as he pulled up. The band promptly answered with "My Old Kentucky Home." The enthusiasm of the crowd at Bridgeport caught the mayor and he violated his fifteen minute rule for outdoor talks by speaking for nearly three-quarters of an hour.

The surprise of the day, however, was at Cadiz.

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Call on Smith & Lugabill for spouting, roofing, etc. In rear of former place, 121 west High street. New phone 122. 89-11.

### Tonight

Just before retiring, if your liver is sluggish, out of tune and you feel dull, bloated, constipated, take a dose of **Hood's Pills**

And you'll be all right in the morning.

### SHAMROCK II BARTERED OFF.

American Skipper Has Purchased Her From Lipton for Sum of \$7,000.

New York, Sept. 18.—It is stated, in connection with reports from Chicago that Capt. Miller, who was skipper of the yacht Columbia, during the summer, and Capt. Barr's assistant on the Reliance during the cup races, has bought from Sir Thomas Lipton, the old cup challenger Shamrock II. The price paid for the hull was not known, but it is believed that it was not far from \$7,000. The yacht has been on the shore at Erie basin for nearly two years, and while being protected from the weather as far as practicable, has become less and less valuable by rust and corrosion. The purchaser will break her up for the value of the material.

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### THE STAGE.

"The Village Postmaster" with its original big production exactly as played for 227 nights at the 14th Street Theatre, New York, will be the attraction at the Faurot opera house tonight. The play is full of human nature and heart interest with a pretty love story well told. The Chicago Inter-Ocean of Monday, May 20, says:

"It is better than all the other country plays put together."

Car loads of scenery and properties are carried for this now famous rural drama, and the company here will include many of the original cast.

Mr. Eugene Powers, of the original cast, is now with this company, who plays the title part. His work in this role places him among the leading character actors of this country. Many vaudeville novelties are introduced in the play this year, and the entire company and production will be taken to England next fall for a long tour.

NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS.

There will be a meeting of the stockholders of the south Lima Oil Company, Oct. 10th, 1903, at 7:30 p.m.

By order of the president,  
JOHN O'CONNOR,  
M. B. FLYNN, Secy. 87-11.

### PUBLIC SALE.

On Thursday, October first, at my farm, one mile southwest of Lima on the Spencerville road, I will offer for sale, my entire herd of polled Durham cattle, horses, farming utensils, corn in the shock and other articles.

WILLIAM HIXENBAUGH,  
Sept. 18-21\*

A New Jersey Editor's Testimonial.

M. T. Lynch, editor of the Phillipsburg, N. J. Daily Post, writes: "I have used many kinds of medicines for coughs and colds in my family but never anything so good as Foley's Honey and Tar. I cannot say too much in praise of it."

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FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE is the only preparation which will positively cure all forms of kidney and bladder troubles, and cure you permanently. It is a safe remedy and certain in results.

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### LIPTON HAS SOLD TWO BUT WILL KEEP THREE.

Chicago, Sept. 18.—Shamrocks 1 and 11 the first two boats brought across the water by Sir Thomas Lipton in his attempts to lift the American cup, are practically sold, according to a statement made by John Westwood, secretary to Sir Thomas, today.

"The baronet is loath to part with his newest boat," said Mr. Westwood, "and will not dispose of Shamrock III."

### NO MAKESHIFT

In This Case the Work Was Properly Done in Lima.

Any Lima reader who has had backache and found relief by rubbing the back with liniments and lotions, understands that the relief obtained was but makeshift for the ache returns. There is a way to do it so the ache will not come back. Read how it's done in Lima:

Mrs. L. E. Cole, of 250 Spencerville road, says: "The statement I gave for publication about Doan's Kidney Pills in the summer of 1896, I have nothing to add but that time has strengthened the opinion then expressed about that remarkable preparation. They cured me of backache which had prevented me from sleeping at night and worried me during the day. Up to the present time, and it is considerably over two years since I stopped the treatment, I have not had a recurrence."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50c a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the United States. Remember the name—Doan's—and take no substitute.

### MONEY HANDLERS MEET.

Cleveland, Ohio, Sept. 18.—Delegates from 30 cities, Boston to San Francisco will attend the first annual convention of the National Association of Bank Clerks which opens a two days session here today.

Col. J. J. Sullivan, president of the Central National bank, of this city, will deliver the formal address of welcome.

### \$1.90 TOLEDO AND RETURN.

The C. H. & D. Ry. will make rate of \$1.90 to Toledo and return account Ben Hur. Tickets good leaving Lima on regular trains, Wednesday, Sept. 23rd and returning Sept. 24th. 7-11

## HEADQUARTERS

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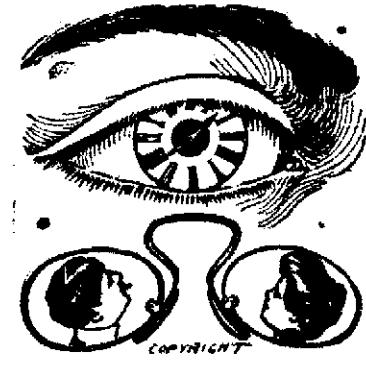
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Among the huckleberries you deserv. What seems a foreign substance in a pie.  
Yet hope it is a berry, not a fly.

What They Named Him and Why.  
The baby grasped his milk mug. But could not pick it up. And so they called him Lipton—He couldn't lift the cup

—Chicago Tribune.

## C. &amp; E.

## Employees in South Lima Interested In the Matter

## Of Moving Huntington Shops to Marion.

## Three Groceries Entered by Thieves, Who Were Particular.

## Death of an Infant—These Sick and Those Convalescent—Short Paragraphs of Interest to You.

In talking with a Chicago & Erie employee this morning, it seems, from what he said, that the shops at Huntington, Ind., cannot be moved to Marion. He said one of the officials of the Erie claimed that the grounds were given them for shop purposes on condition that the shops be retained, and that if they were moved to Marion, Ohio, said grounds would revert back to former owners. This stipulation does not include the boiler and machine shops, which may be removed. The official says Marion is to be favored because it would even up the lengths of the Kent and Huntington divisions; the Kent division being only 98 miles long, while the distance from Galion to Huntington is 148 miles. By making the change the west division would be 128 miles, and the one to the east 118 miles. He also said that it was only a matter of a few days when the division will be made which will take the shops, round house and everything from Galion to Marion as the telegraph offices at Marion have been moved to the west end yards, and option has been secured on grounds necessary for the enlarging. This certainly looks as if a decision had been reached, and only lacks the official announcement.

Home From Texas.  
Employees of the Lima Locomotive & Machine works are today shaking hands with Joseph Hopper, who dropped in last night from Beaumont, Texas. Joe was formerly boss boiler maker at these works. He is located at Chicago.

Three Stores Robbed.  
Yesterday morning when Chris. Brookins opened up his grocery on St. John's avenue and Vine street, he found the money drawer lying on the floor, the writing desk topsy-turvy, and the rear door open and backed as if some one had been trying to make kindling wood of it. Further investigation showed that a pair of spectacles, a fine umbrella, shirts, socks, tobacco, cigars, and about 60 pennies had been taken.

Jim Kelley's grocery on the other

corner had been entered, but the thief was probably frightened away, as nothing has been missed up to the present time.

The thief seems to have had it in for St. John's avenue business men, as he went on down to the corner of Second street and St. John's and entered the store of John W. Mahan by the rear door and proceeded to burst open the money drawer. He only got about 30 pennies here, however, and nothing else has been missed.

Death of an Infant.

Yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock, the two year old son of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Plummer passed away. Little Orville was a victim of cholera infantum. The funeral was held at the residence, 724 south Union street, this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Near Death's Door.

Howard Nolff, a young man of about twenty years of age, living with his parents, Stuart and Louisa Nolff, 829 south Elizabeth street, is sinking rapidly, his physician having but little hope of his recovery. He is a victim of tuberculosis.

No Tidings.

At the Dobbs home on Reece ave., it is learned that no tidings have been received from the prodigal son, Paul, who disappeared over a week ago. His parents still think he went west to join his brothers.

Indian Territory or Bust.

A neighbor informed us this morning that Charles Davis, the popular Lake Erie & Western conductor, is storing his household goods and will leave for Indian Territory in a few days, where he has secured employment with a western railroad.

For Winter Work.

The senior guild of Grace church will meet this evening at their rooms in the church, where arrangements for work the coming winter will be mapped out.

Good News.

J. W. Gorham received word this morning that his niece, Miss Iva Baugher of Celina, is convalescing. Mr. Gorham's little daughter, Florence, is again able to be about, having been ill from stomach trouble.

Death Summons.

Mr. and Mrs. James C. Ashburn, of west Kirby street, have been called to Wapakoneta by a message announcing the death of Mr. Ashburn's father.

Fire Boys Keep Warm.

Members of the south side department are bound to keep warm during this "fair" weather, and this winter. This morning they began a search through a lot of old junk in the garrett, and brought to light an old stove that must have been in Noah's ark a few years ago—during the other flood—and now the thing of beauty adorns the waiting room. Owing to a scarcity of coal they will paint the inside red and imagine they have warmth.

## For the Times-Democrat

Items of news, such as concerns visitors, sickness, death, weddings, parties, new babies, accidents, etc., will be taken care of and gathered by Times-Democrat reporter if left at the following places: Mell's drug store, Herrett's, Kelley's, Brookins, Osburns, Kissell's, Kraft's shoe store, Smith's dry goods store, McClain's, Hall & Haller's, Mooney's, Cramer's drug store, Cunningham's cigar store, the south side barber shop, the Morris or Gorham groceries, Jackman's cigar factory, Austin's grocery, or handed to Albert Arnold.

## Brief Notes of Interest.

John Reiselman of south Pine street, is convalescing from appendicitis.

John Lincoln and Steve Gorman, of Celina, are guests of J. C. Relf and family, 826 St. John's avenue.

Money order blanks have arrived at the south side postoffice.

Today Miss Catherine Slbert goes to Uniopolis, where she will have charge of the millinery store to be opened there by Mrs. Van Horn tomorrow.

The little son of Fred Banks, on east Kirby street, suffered a relapse yesterday and is a very sick child. He has typhoid fever.

Mrs. S. N. Calvert, of south Elizabeth street, has been quite sick for two weeks past.

Mrs. A. J. Piat, south Union street, is improving from an illness.

Willie Mills, the lad who was injured at the paper mills last Sunday, is gradually getting better.

George Geiger is confined to his room with rheumatism and liver complaint.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Russell Davison, south Pierce street, a daughter.

Mrs. Frank Lochhead's guests are Miss Ida Britner and Miss Florence Rice, of Delphos.

Guy Crayton, of west Vine street, is attending school at the Ohio State University.

Walter Dean, west Circular street, will go to Columbus and take a course in electrical engineering at the Ohio State University. He will begin Monday.

Today Miss Blaes returned to Sandusky, after a pleasant visit with Mrs. L. J. Swartz, on Greenlawn avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. John Olney, of Second street, are entertaining Frank Olney of Sandusky.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Halter, of south Union street, (formerly of Forest avenue), are visiting in Indiana.

## Used for Pneumonia.

Dr. J. C. Bishop, of Agnew, Mich., says, "I have used Foley's Honey and Tar in three very severe cases of pneumonia with good results in every case." Refuse substitutes.

H. F. Vorkamp, corner Main and North streets.

## FALL AND WINTER STYLES ARRIVED. MICHAEL'S. 89-3t

## BASE BALL.

## Cold Weather Prevents Game at Cincinnati.

## Boston Wins the Championship of the American League—Yesterday's Results.

The Cincinnati-New York game that was scheduled for yesterday on the Queen City grounds, was called off on account of the cold weather.

In the American League, yesterday, Boston won the championship of the season by defeating Cleveland.

Yesterday's National League results were as follows:

Cincinnati-New York, cold weather.

Pittsburg-Boston, cold weather.

Brooklyn 3. S. Louis 1.

Brooklyn 5. St. Louis 5.

Chicago 6. Philadelphia 1.

Chicago 6. Philadelphia 5.

## How They Stand.

Clubs Won Lost P. C.

Pittsburg 87 43 .669

New York 79 52 .603

Chicago 77 52 .597

Cincinnati 69 57 .548

Brooklyn 64 63 .504

Boston 53 76 .411

Philadelphia 41 81 .336

St. Louis 42 88 .323

## Games Today.

New York at Cincinnati.

Boston at Pittsburg.

American League.

Boston 13, Cleveland 3.

Washington-Detroit, wet grounds.

Chicago-New York, rain.

Philadelphia-St. Louis, wet grounds.

## How They Stand.

Clubs Won Lost P. C.

Boston 84 43 .661

Cleveland 72 58 .554

Philadelphia 66 57 .587

New York 62 58 .517

Detroit 61 63 .492

St. Louis 60 65 .480

Chicago 56 69 .448

Washington 39 87 .310

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The Correct Fall and Winter Styles are Ready for Inspection.

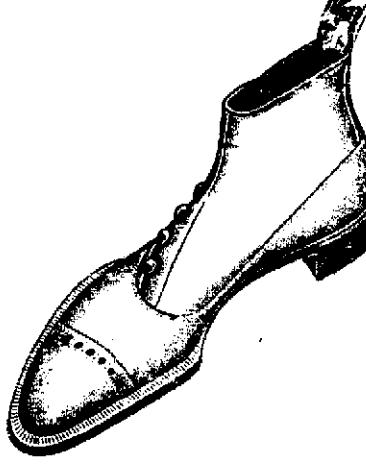
All who appreciate the best Clothing at moderate prices will surely be interested in our elaborate style-range.

We bid you heartily welcome, whether you desire to buy now, or merely wish to learn the latest fashions.

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Wholesale Drapers  
Cleveland, Ohio.

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28 AND 30 PUBLIC SQUARE  
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Lima, O.

## The Newest Thing in Town.



\$4.00

\$4.00

One of the new arrivals at the COLUMBIA SHOE STORE this week was this elegant patent colt skin Buttoned Boot for men, made with dull kid tops and large dull buttons to match. This nobby boot is certainly the height of style, and to make it popular we have put it on sale at the very reasonable price of \$4.00. See them in our window.

## BUTTONED BOOTS FOR MEN.

THE COLUMBIA,  
BLACK BLOCK.

OFFICIALS  
ARE KICKING.

They Sold for a Trifle What Was  
Worth the Snug Sum  
of \$40,000.

New York, Sept. 18.—Officials of a Bayonne, N. J. oil company, are chagrined over the discovery that they sold for \$1,800, a vessel full of oil and naphtha worth \$40,000. The steamer Maria took fire at the Bayonne plant two months ago, and was towed out in the bay to burn. It was thought that its cargo had been consumed in the blaze in which the lives of two men were lost. The Bayonne

concern offered the ship for sale, and when the buyers had docked the supposed wreck a few hours later, it was found the valuable cargo had escaped destruction.

## SPECIAL SUMMER TOURIST FARES.

Via Pennsylvania Lines.

Will be in effect July 7th to September 30th, inclusive to Colorado, Utah,

Minnesota, Wisconsin, Iowa, South

Dakota and points in Southwest. For

particulars consult Ticket Agents of

Pennsylvania Lines. — till Sept. 30.

Foley's Honey and Tar is peculiarly

adapted for chronic throat troubles

and will positively cure bronchitis,

hoarseness and all bronchial diseases.

Refuse substitutes.

H. F. Vorkamp, corner Main and

North streets.

Twenty-five sewing machines of all makes in good condition, at your own price; must have room. Needles and attachments for all machines.

HAWTHORNE BROS.

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## THE TIMES-DEMOCRAT.

## DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

For Governor,  
TOM L. JOHNSON,  
of Cuyahoga County.

For Lieutenant Governor,  
FRANK B. NILES,  
of Lucas County.

For Supreme Judge,  
EDWARD J. DEMPSEY,  
of Hamilton County.

For Attorney General,  
FRANK S. MONNETT,  
of Franklin County.

For Treasurer of State,  
V. J. DAHL,  
of Fayette County.

For Auditor of State,  
CHARLES A. KLOEB,  
of Mercer County.

For School Commissioner,  
J. H. SECREST,  
of Putnam County.

For Member of Board of Public Works,  
T. H. B. JONES,  
of Lawrence County.

For United States Senator,  
JOHN H. CLARKE,  
of Cuyahoga County.

DISTRICT TICKET.

For State Senators,  
STEPHEN D. CRITES,  
THOMAS M. BERRY

For Common Pleas Judges,  
STEPHEN A. ARMSTRONG,  
WILLIAM CUNNINGHAM.

COUNTY TICKET.

For Representative,  
JOHN W. MANGUS,  
of Richland Township.

For Sheriff,  
EUGENE J. BARR,  
of Lima.

For Treasurer,  
MINOR C. CROSSLEY,  
of Lima.

For Commissioner,  
ALEXANDER L. CONRAD,  
of Bluffton.

For Surveyor,  
CHARLES E. CRAIG,  
of Monroe Township.

For Coroner,  
DR. ANDREW W. BICE,  
of Lima.

For Infirmary Director,  
C. H. MOSIER,  
of Marion Township.

## THE WEATHER.

Washington D. C. Sept 18 — For Ohio. Fair tonight and Saturday slightly warmer Saturday.

## THEY KISSED THREE TIMES.

Vienna Sept 18 — Emperor Francis Joseph wearing the uniform of a German field marshal met Emperor William at the railroad station. The German emperor wore the uniform of an Austrian cavalry general. The monarchs cordially kissed each other three times and then shook hands warmly. After an inspection of the guard of honor the emperors drove through uncrowded and decorated streets to an enthusiastic reception all the way to the palace. The route was lined by troops.

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MEN'S \$15.00  
SUITS.

THE PRIDE OF

*Our Store.*

## OUR \$15 SUITS

Are famous for quality, fit, style and workmanship, and we guarantee them to be equal to any \$18 Suits in Lima.

## See Our Fifteen Dollar Suits

And you will understand. All goods marked in plain figures. Strictly one price, and your money back if not satisfied.

ALBRECHT BROS.,

*American Clothiers*

"MEET ME AT THE LIMA HOUSE CORNER."

## SHE CARRIED A RABBIT'S FOOT.

New York Sept 18 — The Gypsy Girl one of the missing fishing schoolers of the Fulton Market fleet came into port today. Although the smallest vessel in the fleet, she went

through the storm of Wednesday without damage. Three others, the Eddie Peterson, with a crew of 21, the Emily P. Wright with seventeen and the Lena Fernald with seventeen, have not been reported.

STRUCK BY TRAIN AND KILLED.

Erie Pa. Sept 18 — Thomas Eldridge aged 22, a son of Postmaster L. O. Eldridge of North Springfield. They were both prominent and popular young people and were returning home from a party in a carriage when instantly killed by the Lake Shore

limited at an early hour today about two miles west of North Springfield. They were both prominent and popular young people and were returning home from a party in a carriage when instantly killed by the Lake Shore

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found a letter from Salen, chairman of the Democratic state committee, asking that both committees confine themselves to legitimate expenses, and on the Saturday prior to the election both public sworn statements.

Late this afternoon the Associated Press sent out the following

CHINESE ARE GETTING BACK.

Will Present Damage Claim for Injuries Inflicted Upon Yellows at Tonopah.

Washington Sept 18 — The Chinese government will make a claim against the government of the United States on account of injuries inflicted by residents of Tonopah, Nev. upon Chinese citizens of that place last Wednesday. The Chinese minister has telephoned the Chinese consul general at San Francisco to send him as many affidavits as he can secure, showing the names of the persons inured and the nature of their injuries as well as any property loss they might have suffered. These affidavits will be used as the basis of the claim against this government. A telegram was received at the state department today from the governor of Nevada in reply to the one sent yesterday regarding this attack saying that he has ordered immediate investigation and will take every action looking to the safety of the Chinese residents of Tonopah. A copy of this telegram will be sent to the Chinese minister for his information.

SLUMP IN PRICE FORCED THE FAILURE.

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## CRITICAL

Is the Condition Today of Jack Williams.

The physicians who are attending proprietor Jack Williams of the Manhattan, announced this afternoon that the patient's condition was very critical. Mr. Williams has become very weak during the last two days and it is feared there is but a very slender chance for his recovery. His ailment is stomach trouble of a nature that is very puzzling to the physicians.

WILL BREAK THE RECORD

Or Break His Neck Is the Decision of a Chicago Automobile Fiend.

Cleveland O. Sept 18 — C. W. Gray, president of the Chicago Automobile club, left the Hollenden at 1:30 today in a Peerless motor car for a record breaking trip to Chicago. In his company were Jerome A. Ellis, vice president of the Standard Ry. Equipment Co. Mr. Gray made his reputation as a long distance tourist in the Chicago to Mammoth Cave, Ky. run of the Chicago Automobile club. Out of nearly one hundred automobiles that started only two finished, and Mr. Gray was the only one to finish without an accident.

HANDED OUT TWO HOT ONES.

Court Overruled Motion to Dismiss the Indictment Against Geo. W. Beavers.

And many others which have just arrived.

New York Sept 18 — At the examination of George W. Beavers the indicted postal official charged with conspiracy with the Brandt Dent Mfg. Co. to defraud the government which was resumed today Commissioner Hulchcock announced that he had decided to overrule the motion made by

the defense at the previous hearing to dismiss the proceedings because of the invalidity of the indictment. The defense contended that the indictment charged three separate and distinct offenses under one section of the federal statutes instead of one as provided by law. He also changed his ruling that the properly certified copy of the indictment returned in Brooklyn was sufficient evidence to make out a case of probable cause, and to warrant the return of the accused, properly identified, to the district where in the indictment was returned.

ATTORNEY

For Beavers Charges Government With Shielding Some One.

It developed in the course of the examination and was admitted upon the record by District Attorney Burnett that subpoenas had been served by the defense upon District Attorney Youngs in Brooklyn and his stenographer, and a subpoena for the production of certain papers upon Postmaster General Payne, the defense stating that it wanted the government to make out its case before the district commissioner in New York in order that the defense might prove that Mr. Beavers had nothing whatever to do with the making of the contract between the government and the Brandt Dent Co.

We want to know whom the government seeks to shield by this indictment. We contend that if permitted to go into this case here that we will prove that there is not only a lack of probable cause to believe that a crime has been committed, but so far as Beavers is concerned, it is a case of absolute innocence and we hope to prove it. But for some reason the government seeks to suppress this evidence.

Attorney Burnett said the defendant had been indicted in the eastern district and would be given the opportunity to prove his innocence there in due time. Decisions were quoted to prove that there was no authority by which a commissioner could issue a subpoena for a person in another district. The government, he contended did not wish to do an injustice or take an unfair advantage, but if witnesses could be brought from all over the country on preliminary hearings it would block the wheel of justice.

HIGH GRADE FLOWER POTS AT A LOWER PRICE THAN IS GENERALLY ASKED FOR INFERIOR GOODS. FELTZ'S ECONOMY BASEMENT.

Sewing machines rented, crated and repaired. Hawisher Bros., 47 south Main street. Both phones No. 26-31.

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ONE NIGHT.

Monday, Sept. 21.

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Present the eminent actor, Mr. Thomas B. Alexander, and a large company of unusual merit, including Miss Isotta Jewel, in the gorgeous romance.

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Prices — 25c, 50c, 75c and \$1.00. Seat Sale opens Saturday 9 a. m.

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Can now be seen and heard at the old reliable

## B. S. PORTER &amp; SON'S

Come in and hear your favorite piece played by the most perfect player of all. Don't fail to call, we want you all to hear it play.

Remember we are now showing the finest stock of pianos ever shown in Lima. See the beautiful new styles of Everett, Stein, J. & C. Fischer, Smith & Nixon, Harvard, Ebersole, Haines Bros.

And many others which have just arrived.

## All Pianos Sold on Easy Payments.

Several good second-hand upright pianos from \$65 up.

Good square pianos \$50

B. S. PORTER & SON,

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## Chicago Modiste

Has opened in Opera House block, rooms 414-415, First Class.

## Ladies' Tailoring and Dressmaking Parlors.

Evening and street costumes made in perfect French fit and designing.

Our ready made tailored suits are suitable for all occasions, made in Chicago by first class cloak and suit houses.

Suits Sold For Cash or Credit.

Suits ordered from samples to your measure, made in 5 to 8 days. Our prices are so remarkably low, you will find purchases a decided pleasure. Also handle children's cloaks. New phone 1439.

Hours 8 a. m. to 6 p. m.

## Lima Dry Goods Co.

## Saturday Attractions.

## Veilings.

New fancy pattern Veils 50c, 75c and \$1.00 each. New Embroidered Chiffon Veilings, 82c and 50c yard.

## Neckwear.

Odd lot white lawn Stock Collars with the tie ends plain white and some with fancy colored edges, regular price 15c and 25c tomorrow at 10c each.

## Ribbons.

40 pieces splendid quality fancy taffeta ribbons, good variety of new patterns, regular 50c value at 35c yard.

## Hosiery.

Women's extra quality fast black fleeced hose, 3 pairs 25c. "Never Fail," the best children's black hose we know of at the price, 15c pair.

New fancy black lace stripe hose for women at 25c pair.

## Kid Gloves.

All our regular \$1.00 Kid Gloves in every color and every size at 75c pair.

Extra fine quality black Suede Kid Gloves \$1.00 pair. Women's extra heavy gray Mocha Gloves, the dollar goods at 75c pair.

## Dress Goods.

Special lot 38 and 40 inch Zibelines, Mohairs, Boucle, Granite, and Whip Cords in all desirable shades, every piece new and fresh, 50c yard.

## HONEST DENTISTRY AT POPULAR PRICES.

Best Teeth — \$7.00

Bridge Work, 22-k gold \$3.00

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## Men's Fall and Winter Clothes

Early buyers will find much pleasure in looking over our Fall and Winter Suits and Overcoats; the most complete showing we ever made. Our efforts this season are confined to strictly high grade goods, but not in any sense high priced. We are better prepared than ever to serve the people who desire the less expensive goods, and giving strictly better values than ever.

Suits from \$5 to \$22.

Overcoats from \$6.50 to \$25.

Ask to see the new English Box Winter Overcoats, cut very short, either single or double breasted.

HATS—Ready for your new fall Hat? We can serve you.

## The Mammoth.

Good for Bad Boys Shoes and  
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Every Pair Guaranteed. Little Gents' \$1.50;  
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SEE CARROLL & COONEY'S

NEW FALL SUITS.

As Usual they Lead the Styles.

NEW NOVELTY and

ANCY SUITS.

Plain and trimmed Black Suits, sizes 32 to 44. Special orders taken when desired, new Suits.

\$12.00 to \$50.00.

EW WALKING SKIRTS.

We carry the swellest Walking Skirts in town. See them early while your selection is large.

\$5.00 to \$12.50.

ARROLL & COONEY

## TERM

In the Illinois Penitentiary

Is Given Reed,

The Former Resident of This City.

Prisoner Is Identified as a Former Convict of the Ohio Pen.

While on the Witness Stand in Court He Confessed That He Was Guilty of the Crime of Bigamy.

H. C. Mills, alias Reed, who a few years ago, conducted a livery barn in this city, has been sentenced to imprisonment in the Illinois penitentiary on the charge of bigamy. Concerning the case, dispatch from the Windy City says:

"Three young women who had called him husband rejoiced today when Herald C. Mills was found guilty of bigamy by a jury in Judge Brentano's court and sentenced to an indeterminate sentence in the penitentiary and fine of \$1,000.

Each of the three shook hands with each of the jurors and thanked him. Then 'let's watch him go to jail,' said one. The three hurried to the jail elevator, scanned the convicted man and smiled sweetly as the guard hustled him into the cage.

On the witness stand Mills confessed to previous ingamous marriages in an effort to have his marriage to Miss Mary Butler of Detroit declared null. Attorney Blaney had sought to have the jury discharged upon the grounds that the state had not shown that the marriage to Miss Butler was legal.

Were you ever married before you were married to Miss Butler and was that marriage in existence at the time you married her?" his attorney asked.

I was the husband of Sophia Headley of St. Louis I think at the time I married Miss Butler," answered Mills.

George S. Clow, superintendent of contracts at the Columbus Ohio Penitentiary, gave Mills a black eye figuratively. He took the stand and positively identified the defendant as an ex-convict who had served at least two terms, one of four years duration. Lawyer Blaney was inclined to question the identification, and hinted that Mr. Clow was mistaken. "Have you any description of the convict of whom you speak?" he asked.

Here is his photograph," responded Clow, delving into his pocket and producing the picture.

Thereupon the defense subsided.

STYLE, COMFORT, WEAR IN NETTLETON SHOES FOR MEN. MICHAEL'S. 89-3t

Owing to delay in shipment of sewing machines we were unable to exhibit at Allen county fair but have just received a carload of the latest, popular White sewing machines which are on exhibition at our store 117 south Main street. Both phones No. 20 Hawisher Bros. 90-3t

### NOTICE.

The drawing of the lot to be given away by the Hiawatha club, will take place at Van Gunten's music store, this evening (Friday) Sept 18, at 8 o'clock.

NOW IS THE TIME TO BUY FLOWER POTS AND YOU CAN DO BETTER AT FELTZ'S THAN ANY WHERE ELSE.

J. B. CARR AND SON.

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Don't let the little ones suffer from eczema or other torturing skin diseases. No need for it. Doan's Ointment cures. Can't harm the most delicate skin. At any drug store, 50 cents.

WANTED—INDUSTRIOUS GIRLS, TO LEARN THE CIGAR TRADE. GIRLS ARE WELL PAID WHILE LEARNING. INQUIRE AT THE AMERICAN CIGAR CO., MAIN AND ELM STREETS. 61-4t

Leaky roofs fixed by Smith & Lugar, in rear of former place, 121 west High street. New phone 122. 89-3t

THE NETTLETON SHOE IS A GENTLEMAN'S SHOE. MICHAEL'S. 89-3t

FOR SALE—Good milk cow, will



## G. E. BLUEM.



### NEW GARMENTS FOR FALL AND WINTER.

It is perhaps but natural, since they are of our own selection, that we should be somewhat proud of this new stock of fall and winter garments. Yet we believe you will be just as proud of them as we are, for every one was SELECTED WITH SOME ONE OF OUR CUSTOMERS IN MIND. We know your critical taste, know how you must be pleased in every particular and your Suit or Coat is here.

So if you will come in this week, we believe we can show you a Fall Suit or a Winter Coat that will please you from collar to skirt in every particular. Try us any way and see how well we keep our word.

If you don't feel as if you were quite ready to buy yet just make a small deposit and we will lay the garment away for you until you are ready to take it.

### SUITS.

We waited until the last possible moment before buying these suits in order to get the very latest styles. When we placed the orders we found, too, that we got better prices by waiting, so that we honestly believe you can do better by buying a suit here than would be possible at any other store in the state.

A Walking Suit made of the new Scotch mixtures, Norfolk style, jacket satin lined, full flare skirt. Special price \$15.00.

Cheviot Blouse Suit neatly made, silk lined jacket, round skirt trimmed with cord and ornaments, at \$20.00.

Zibeline Walking Suits, grey, oxford and green mixtures, jacket lined with good quality satin, unlined round skirt, at \$25.00.

We are showing the greatest line of extra values in Cheviot, Broadcloth and fancy mixed Suits at \$25.00.

### COATS.

These Fall and Winter Coats were finished under our direct supervision and we know that, not only are the fabrics right, but they are made up and lined in an absolutely perfect manner. All the latest styles are here, too, and no matter to what your preference inclines your coat is here and ready for your approval.

Nice line of Box Coats of kersey cloth, neatly trimmed with satin bands, satin lined, new sleeve, at \$5.00.

Extra quality Kersey Coat 42 inches long, trimmed with cord and stitching, satin lined throughout, \$12.00.

Fine line of Taffeta Silk Coats, trimmed with cords and ornaments, satin lined, heavy enough for a winter Wrap, at \$10.00.

Heavy Peau De Soie Jackets, satin lined, latest style, at \$12.50, \$15.00, \$18.00 and \$20.00.

### SEPARATE SKIRTS.

If you are particular about the manner in which your skirts hang and fit you are just the woman we want to see. Our fall shipment of skirts came from a tailor who has gained a continental reputation for the splendid fit and hang of the garments he makes. The quality of the goods, too, is a little above the standard when you take into consideration the economical prices we name.

Fine line of Black Dress Skirts in cheviot, all good styles, at \$4.50, \$5.00, \$6.50, \$7.50 and \$10.00.

Broadcloth tailor made Dress Skirts, neatly trimmed, some unlined, extra choice styles, at from \$5.00 to \$10.00.

We are showing the largest stock of fine Dress Skirts, voile, etamine and London twine, at from \$10.00 to \$25.00.

Special quality Walking Skirts, man tailored, stitched and corded, at \$2.98.

Thibet Cloth Walking Skirts, brown, blue and black, tucked across the hips, handsomely made, best style, at \$5.00.

Fancy manish mixtures in Walking Skirts, newest creation, at \$5.00, \$7.50, \$8.50 and \$10.00.

## G. E. BLUEM.



### Dress

### Goods,

55-57 Public Square.

### Cloak and

### Suit House.



### WANTED.

SELL CHEAP FOR CASH. CALL AT 366 SOUTH PINE STREET.

WANTED—Partner, I want a sober, energetic man with \$250, to manage business in Lima; \$15 per week wages and half interest in the business; permanent situation; this is a good business chance; references required. Address H. Wilmering, Peoria, Ill. 290-2w

WANTED—Girl for general house-work. Call at 513 west North street. 788-1f

### FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Large store room on north Main street, Lima, O.; cheap rent, good location. Call or write J. A. Newell at the store or 238 Harrison avenue. 284-4od-1f

FOR RENT—8 room house. Call at 415 north Elizabeth, also a 6 room new modern house. Call at 415 north Elizabeth street. 67-3t

### KOR RENT.

KOR RENT—Flat in Payne block—4 rooms. Steam heat. J. O. Olier. 284-4od-1f

### FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Good milk cow, will

FOR SALE OR RENT. Tents in all sizes, at the Awning factory in the Collins block. New Phone 1019. S. G. Rolson, Manufacturing Co. 67-1m

FOR SALE—Saloon and fine bed room suites, sitting and dining room furnishings and kitchen outfit. Reasons for selling, leaving the city. Address 508 north Superior street. Toledo, O. P. H. Mooney. 91-6t

FOR SALE—Property on west Wayne street; will insure between 7 and 8 per cent on investment. Terms to suit purchaser. Address, Box 591, Lima, Ohio. 284-4f

### LOST.

LOST—Near the fair ground entrance

yesterday a ten dollar gold piece.

Finder will be rewarded by returning the money to this office. 110

## THE ELITE SHOE

FOR MEN.

\$3.50 and \$4.00

"A Man's Shoe Built on Honor." Made of Vici, Velours, Box Calf and Corona Colt.

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Exclusive Agents. S. E. Cor. Square.

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ing School Children.

County Fair Badly Handicapped by  
Rain and Cold, But Exhibits  
Show the Institution Still  
in Favor.

Until this morning, when the sun  
came out in splendor, the differences  
that have existed for years between  
the weather man, and the fair board,  
did fair never to be settled.

Even the consultation of the almanac  
by President John Amstutz could  
not prevent the rain for the first few  
days of the week, although there was  
great and unfaltering faith in him as  
a weather arbiter by the other mem-  
bers of the fair board.

Two more pernicious days than  
Wednesday and Thursday could not  
have been found anywhere in the  
zodiac but in spite of the foreboding  
conditions of the skies, and the un-  
acclimated cold, a good crowd from all  
parts of the country attended the an-  
nual show yesterday.

### The Horses.

The field of horses entered for the  
races is the best ever known in this  
county, not even excepting the field of  
speeders that shone here last week.  
But fast ones are not all the farmer  
or city man wishes to look at, so the  
opportunity is given the fair goer to  
scrutinize highly bred Norman and  
Percheron draft horses, and thorough-  
breds whose long suit is in the line of  
races.

Then the eye tires of the best of all  
animals, it can shift to cattle, hogs,  
sheep, and poultry with peacockies  
long enough to entitle them to her-  
aldry that would make Marlborough  
envyous.

### Art Hall.

Art hall is a dream, when taken by  
departments. There never was such  
a display of the manifold business in-  
terests of the county, as is shown there  
this year, and to add to the attractiveness  
of the place the ladies have taken  
a hand in the presentation of beauti-  
ful china painting, and other handi-  
work, which only their deft fingers  
could accomplish.

Then of course, there is the big  
pumpkin, corn that would make the  
Kansas farmer forget they had ever

raised the very backbone of the na-  
tion, in his grasshopper state, and  
jollies—you never saw so much of it  
in your life.

### Educational Exhibit.

Corn is all right in its place, as a  
backbone maker, but the real show  
of the country is found in the good,  
active, receptive brains of the youth,  
and anybody who thinks we haven't  
that kind in this county should visit  
the educational exhibit. There you  
will find the beautiful work of school-  
ers, of Dis. No. 4, Richland Twp.,  
number 10, Jackson, number 4, Spen-  
cer; number 54 Monroe, and the pub-  
lic schools of Elida, Lafayette, Bluff-  
ton and Lima.

Following is the correct list of  
premiums that have been awarded:

### Lima Public Schools.

Drawing, battleship, second pre-  
mium.

Drawing, map of Ohio, first pre-  
mium.

Best copy book display, Grades E  
and F, first premium.

Best general exhibit of school work,  
first premium.

Best exhibit of letter writing, first  
premium.

Clyde Brewbaker, drawing, map of  
United States, first premium.

Freida Weaver, display of tense  
trees of all kinds in a group, second  
premium; drawing, physiological  
drawing of skeleton, first premium.

Carrie Bressler, penmanship, "Ohio  
Beautiful," first premium.

Otto Rhei, battleship, first pre-  
mium; best specimen of drawing, own  
selection, first premium.

Lewis E. Blaize, landscape scene in  
colors, first premium; best display of  
drawings, first premium.

Walter Deweese, best display of  
drawing, second premium.

Bessie King, penmanship, "Lord's  
Prayer," second premium.

Bessie Halloway, drawing, map of  
central states, second premium.

Z. C. Collins, best specimen of  
painting, own selection, country  
schools, second premium.

Walter Deweese, best display of  
drawing, second premium.

Bessie King, penmanship, "Lord's  
Prayer," second premium.

Spencer Township.

Ethel Sutton, penmanship, Lord's  
Prayer, first premium.

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Spencer Township.

Chas. Meyers, woods of county,  $\frac{1}{2} \times 1$ , showing bark and grain, first pre-  
mium.

Richland Township.

Eddie Goeppele, drawing, map of  
South America, first premium.

Jacob Amstutz, drawing, physiological  
drawing, stomach, second premium.

Eddie Gahler, drawing, picture of  
dog, second premium.

Charles Worthington, penmanship,  
"The Beautitudes," second premium.

Vera Cuhom, penmanship, "The  
Star Spangled Banner," first pre-  
mium.

Joe Bently, penmanship, "The Star  
Spangled Banner," second premium.

Clara Greeding, best display copy  
books, Grades E and F, second pre-  
mium.

Harry Block, penmanship, "The  
Beautitudes," first premium.

Lafayette.

Cliff Knoble, map of Ohio, second  
premium.

Glen Helser, penmanship, "Twenty-  
Third Psalm," second premium.

Mable Cotner, penmanship, "A Good  
Name," first premium.

Edie Isham, "Ten Greatest Living  
Americans," second premium.

Lenah Zerbe, penmanship, "Twenty-  
Third Psalm," first premium.

Elida.

J. B. Highlands, specimen of pen-  
manship, first premium.

C. A. Shock, map of Asia, first pre-  
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From Kansas to the Arctic  
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nished upon application to  
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AT 4% RU. 5 per cent FROM ONE TO  
NINETY DAYS, in sums of \$200 and upward  
on FARM LANDS or LIMA CITY, or  
FIRE. Premiums for paying back, or any  
Gentleman can get a very interest day  
LOANS MADE AT ONCE.

D. C. HENDERSON,  
Rooms 208-210 Holland Block

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Barber Shop and Bath Rooms,  
For Ladies and Gentlemen.  
Hot, Cold, Shower, and Vapor Baths.  
Ladies' and Children's Hair Cutting  
Done to Order.  
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ROCKY MOUNTAIN TEA  
Makes You Well, Keeps You Well. Cures  
Pimples, Blotches, Liver Marks, Skin Eruption,  
Constipation, Sick Headache, Neuralgia,  
Pain in Back, Colic, Indigestion, Kidney Disease,  
Bowels, Headache, Dandruff, Indigestion, Re-  
cures Beauty and Perfect Womanhood. Good  
for Grandmas, Loved by Grandmas. Makes Father  
Strong, Helps Mother do the Housework.  
Makes the Girls and Boys Strong. Good  
for Baby, Good for all of the Time. The  
Genuine 35 cent a package. Made only by  
MADISON MEDICINE CO., Madison, Wis.

Vortkamp's Pharmacy, corner of  
North and Main streets.

**KALB & THRIFT,**  
Room No. 6 Opera House  
Block.

**Loan Money**

for personal, collateral and mort-  
gage (both real and chattel), includ-  
ing all property security. Buy and  
sell real estate.

Hours 10 to 2 p.m.,  
old phone Union 311. New phone 279

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We have a large sum of money to loan  
at city property and improved farm lands  
at the very lowest rate of interest.  
With the privilege of paying back  
any time, and the sum of \$2000.  
including CHEAP MONEY and on SHORT  
NOTICE. WHO SEE IT WILL BE TO THEIR INTEREST  
AS WELL.

E. H. POLKIN,  
Real Estate and Loan Broker, rooms 3 and  
4, Holmes Block.

Union Barber Shop.

**FIRST-CLASS BARBERS**

— and —  
**BEST BATH ROOMS**  
IN THE CITY.

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Suite 312-314 Opera House Block.  
Take Elevator to 3rd floor.  
Lima "Phone" 1000. Residence 97 W.  
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Night calls attended to by calling  
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R. W. HAMMOND. M. H. THOMAS.  
**DR. WOODFORD HAMMOND'S**

Broker & Commission Office.  
Will buy and sell Anything of Value.  
Room 10 Harper Block, LIMA, OHIO.  
Watch for List. Aug 20 2m.

**ERIE TRAIN 4.**

Leaves Lima 4:33 p.m.  
Arrives New York 3:22 p.m.  
Pullman Sleepers, Coaches, Dining  
Car Service.

Ticket Office, "Phone" 60.

**E. E. TUTTLE,**  
215 West High Street.

Sanitary plumbing, hot water and  
heat heating. A full line of toilet  
ticles and sanitary plumbing goods  
stock. Heating boilers on floor of  
the room. Prices reasonable. 65-1m

**DR. A. H. CREPS**  
Has located at 825 Belvoir Avenue  
for the practice of

**MEDICINE AND SURGERY.**  
Old Telephone 538. New 999.  
July 13 2m

**ANN G. GALT,**  
smallest business in the world.

Reduced fares to Columbus via Penn-  
sylvania Lines  
Count Robert Emmett anniversary  
celebration, September 19th and 20th.  
Particulars apply to local ticket  
agents of Pennsylvania Lines.

66-11

**Nervous Women.**

Women who are almost distracted  
at the slightest noise, who are easily  
fatigued and unable to sleep, should  
commence taking Hostetter's Stomach  
Bitters at once. Hundreds of women  
suffering from female complaints have  
voluntarily testified to efficacy in  
cases of Cramps, Nausea, Headache,  
Insomnia, Indigestion and Constipation.  
You will therefore make no  
mistake in trying it. Don't accept  
a substitute.

Reduced Fares to Denver via Pennsyl-  
vania Lines

Account Brotherhood of St. Andrew's  
National Convention, will be in effect  
October 3d to 7th inclusive. For de-  
tails consult ticket agents of Pennsyl-  
vania Lines.

86-12

**Cured Hemorrhages of the Lungs.**

"Several years since my lungs were  
so badly affected that I had many  
hemorrhages," writes A. M. Ake, of  
Wood, Ind. "I took treatment with  
several physicians without any benefit.  
I then started to take Foley's  
Honey and Tar and my lungs are now  
as sound as a bullet. I recommend it  
in advanced stages of lung trouble."  
H. F. Vortkamp, corner Main and  
North streets.

\$1.50 CINCINNATI AND RETURN.

The C. H. & D. Ry. will run an ex-  
cursion to Cincinnati and return, Sun-  
day, September 27th. Tickets good  
going on trains leaving Lima at 2:10  
a.m., 5:00 a.m. and 6:50 a.m. 77-11

**CASTORIA.**  
The Kind You Have Always Bought  
Signature of *Castor Hutchison*

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of Randolph Gregg, deceased.  
The undersigned have been appointed  
and qualified as executors of the es-  
tate of Randolph Gregg, late of Allen  
county, Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 15th day of September,  
A. D. 1903.

SARAH A. GREGG,  
EVA TAFLINGER,  
Becker & Becker, Attnys. 89-3w

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of Charlotte Stump, deceased.  
The undersigned has been ap-  
pointed and qualified as administrator  
of the estate of Charlotte Stump, late  
of Allen county, Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 9th day of September,  
A. D. 1903.

JAMES T. ARMSTRONG,  
285-3w Administrator.

ATTACHMENT NOTICE.

Before Wm. E. Reilly, Justice of the  
peace, Ottawa township, Allen county,  
Ohio.

A. C. Reichelderfer,  
vs.

J. W. Helvick.

On the 20th day of July, A. D. 1903,  
said Justice issued an order of attach-  
ment in the above action for the sum  
of two and 20-100 dollars. (42-20).

RICHIE & RICHIE,  
278-3w Plaintiff's Attorneys.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of Zillah B. Coss, deceased.  
The undersigned has been appointed  
and qualified as executor of the estate  
of Zillah B. Coss late of Allen county,  
Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 3rd day of September,  
A. D. 1863.

FRED B. COSS,  
278-3w Executor.

LEGAL NOTICE.

Elsie S. Kennedy, whose residence  
is unknown, will take notice that on  
the 2nd day of Sept. A. D. 1903, Mary  
Elizabeth Kennedy, filed her petition  
in the court of common pleas, Allen  
county, Ohio, being case No. 11623,  
praying for a divorce from said Elsie  
S. Kennedy, on the ground of willful  
absence and gross neglect of duty,  
and asks for the custody of their  
child, John Franklin Kennedy, and  
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and after the 17th day of Oct. A. D.  
1903.

MOTTER, MACKENZIE, WEADOCK  
Attorneys for plaintiff.  
Lima, Ohio, Sept. 1st, 1903. 6wks.

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Estate of A. J. Stevick, deceased.  
The undersigned has been appointed  
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Dated this 27th day of August, A. D.  
1903.

272-3w TRESSIE H. STEVICK.

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Estate of Moses Kelly, deceased.  
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## HORNS BLEW FOR DANGER.

### Small Mountain River Suddenly Rises, and Forces Villagers to Flight.

New York, Sept. 18.—A disaster in  
the shape of a storm has fallen upon  
this place, says a Herald despatch  
from Bad Gastein, a famous Alpine  
watering place in Austria. Snow fell  
on top of accumulated snow and then  
came a heavy rain and on both sides  
of the quiet town, where people retire  
early, resounded with the ominous  
sound of long, loud bugle calls, recogni-  
zed in the neighborhood as the call  
of alarm, and the signal that assis-  
tance was badly needed. The citizens  
hurriedly dressed, and made for the  
street. The waterfall had increased  
to mighty proportions. Trees and  
great masses of wood came thundering  
along. Early in the evening, electric  
lights had gone out, and the upper  
bridge on the main road to Bockstein  
had fallen. A little later the one below  
the waterfall gave way.

The electric works which supply the  
city and imperial hotel, were wrecked.  
The dynamo was washed into the bed  
of the torrent. All communication  
with the nearest stations, and Gastein,  
has been cut off, owing to the fall  
of the bridge, and the few visitors  
remaining here are temporarily imprison-  
ed.

### THERE IS TROUBLE IN NATIONAL GUARD.

Governor Nash Is Openly Charged With Playing  
Favorites for Politic's Sake. Possibility  
That Several Officers Will Resign.

The following dispatch was sent out  
from Columbus, yesterday:

"In ill humor and making charges  
of favoritism and military politics,  
Col. Harry Mead and other officers of  
the Third Infantry left for home today  
after valiantly endeavoring to persuade  
Gov. Nash to permit the Third to attend  
the United States army maneuvers  
at West Point, Ky.

Gov. Nash was obstinate, though Col.  
Mead, Major Deputy Capt. Leonard,  
Capt. Beckman, Capt. Hooven and  
Capt. Ewing put up a talking argument.  
They declared the enlisted men of the  
third were anxious to go at the govern-  
ment per diem of 43 cents a day  
and that the regiment would not ask  
the state for a penny.

The governor held firmly to his  
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the state organization, or any of its  
agents, be entered in such record,  
giving the names and addresses of the  
donors and the amounts given.

3. That on the Saturday preceding  
the election each of us issue a sworn  
statement showing all of such re-  
ceipts and expenditures in detail, and  
on Sunday publish such statements in  
all of the daily newspapers of the  
state.

4. That such statements be accom-  
panied by the sworn statements of the  
respective candidates for governor  
and United States senator, setting  
forth in detail all of the money ex-  
pended by them and to whom paid, in  
connection with the state and legislative  
campaigns, as well as all money  
known to have been expended or paid  
out by any agents or friends of such  
candidates.

The democratic state executive com-  
mittee believes that the people of  
Ohio have a right

# There Is No Place,

Nor Cloak Department more resplendent with bright new Cloaks and Suits than ours. The artistic cloths produced and matchless tailoring in our garments make them the peer of ladies' ready made goods. All we ask is that you examine our line and we will then abide by your decision.



New Tailor Made Suits.

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New Garments for Children.

New Fur Garments of all descriptions.

New Fur Scarfs, all prices. in all the popular furs.

New Walking Skirts in all grades.

New Dress Skirts for Ladies.

New Silk Petticoats.

New Waists in Silk, Velvet, Cloth and plain and Fancy Mercerized.

New Fancy Vestings for Waists, from the better grades down.

New Cotton Waists at 10c and 12c.

We Have One of the Largest and Most Complete Assortments of

## All Wool and All Cotton Blankets TO BE FOUND.

The biggest and best, a world beater, a 12-4 Cotton Blanket, for \$1.00.

See the one we are showing at 50c. It's a beauty.

A full line of comfortable, silkoline and sateen tops, filled with pure white cotton, from

\$1.00 apiece up.

## New Fall Dress Goods

in endless array. You will find our Dress Goods Department full to overflowing with the newest things the market affords. See us for your Dress Goods.

A new and complete line of Black and Fancy Silks.

## A New Line of Velvets,

Try the Samson Lining Silk. The best in the land.

If you want the newest in everything just

## Come to the New Store

and you will get it.

**R. T. Gregg & Co.**

## TWO

Bids But Only One

Bidder

Is the Status

Of the Circular Street Proposition.

Bids Were Opened by Board of Public Service at Noon Today.

Proposals Were Submitted by the Ayers Asphalt Paving Co. and Barber Asphalt Paving Co.

In accordance with the advertisement of the proposed improvement, the board of public service at noon today received and opened bids for the paving of west Circular street with sheet asphalt. Only two bids were received and if the board awards the contract without re-advertising the work is a "cinch" for the Asphalt Trust. To all appearances there was no competition in the bidding for the bidders were the Ayers Asphalt Paving Co. and the Barber Asphalt Paving Co. and it is well known fact that the former company has been absorbed by the Barber people.

The engineer's estimate on the cost of the improvement aggregates \$7,700. The Barber Asphalt Co.'s bid aggregates a total of \$6,560, and Mr. Ayers bid has a total of \$6,450. Trinidad Pitch Lake asphalt is the material bid upon by both companies. The board has not yet awarded a contract for the work.

### For Steam Heating.

The board of public service has also received bids for the fitting up of the city building with pipes and radiators for steam heating. There were five bids received, the bidders and the totals of their proposals being as follows:

Lima Electric Light Co. \$997.80  
C C Cowles 1,058.00  
D L Bowers & Co. 900.00  
J M McVey 1,000.00  
Cowles & Wood 903.00

The board has not yet awarded a contract for this work, there being one section of the specifications not clearly complied with in the lowest bid.

Funeral services will be held at the United Brethren church at 2:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

SARAH ANNA GARNER wife of Rev. G. B. Garner, pastor of the First Christian church, died at 10:35 o'clock last night at her late home at 233 Harrison avenue. The deceased had been ill health for a number of years but the immediate cause of death was an attack of apoplexy. She was born at Pittsfield, Lorain county, Ohio, and lived to the age of 52 years. She is survived by her husband and three children.

Funeral services will be held at the United Brethren church at 2:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

Of Mrs. Garner Terminated by Angel of Death.

## BURGLARY

Is the Charge Against a Young Colored Man

Who Was Captured by Detective Patton Last Night—Prisoner Is Wanted in Muncie.

Frank Burnett, a young colored man, who arrived in the city last evening, was arrested by detective Hugh Patton, who discovered that he answered the description of a man wanted in Muncie on the charge of having robbed a general store. At the police station, the prisoner admitted his identity, but claimed he was innocent of the burglary.

The authorities at Muncie were notified of the capture and the prisoner will be taken back to that city.

NETTLETON SHOES ARE THE BEST \$6 MEN'S SHOES MADE. MICHAEL'S. 89-36

## STEAM HEAT

Is Now Being Furnished by Electric Light Co.

The Lima Electric Railway Co. has caused steam to be turned into the mains of the steam heating system throughout the central portion of the city and since the arrival of the cold wave and Jack Frost the warmth offered in buildings equipped with radiators adds greatly to the comfort of the occupants. The system has, so far, been found to be a complete success.

## ILLNESS

Of Mrs. Garner Terminated by Angel of Death.

Passed Away at 10:35 Last Night, Death Being Due to Apoplexy. Funeral Tomorrow.

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Funeral services will be held at the United Brethren church at 2:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

TOWNSEND'S SPECIAL

For Saturday.  
Good steak 10c or 3 pounds for 25c  
Holling meat, 5c or 6 pounds for 25c  
Beef roast, per pound . . . . . 8c  
Smoked hams per pound . . . . . 15c  
Smoked Cala hams, per pound . . . . . 10c  
Smoked bacon, per pound . . . . . 14c  
Cream cheese, per pound . . . . . 15c  
Bulk coffee, per pound . . . . . 10c  
Fine mackerel, each . . . . . 10c  
Salmon, 1lb can, each . . . . . 8c  
Fancy jars of mustard, each . . . . . 7c  
Imported macaroni, per lb . . . . . 7c

229 North Main St.

## WEDDED

In Presence of a Few Intimate Friends.

Last night at 5 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, 1104 North Main street, Mr. James Edward Barnett and Miss Bertha Twining were quietly married in the presence of about two dozen guests. Mr. Brundage of the First Church of Christ officiated. Following the ceremony a most excellent supper awaited the company.

Bulk oysters at Townsend's

## LONG RUN

Given Fire Department by Some Miscreant.

An alarm from box 23 at the paper mills called out the north side and central fire departments this morning and the long run from the central station was made with the steamer but when the firemen reached the box they found that some one had sent in a false alarm. Chief Coates would like to ascertain the identity of the person who sent in the alarm and make an example of him.

F—i—n—h at Townsend's  
Dressed chickens, veal, lamb, fish and bulk oysters at Townsend's

HIGHEST GRADE TIN CANS 39c.  
A DOZEN AT FELTZ'S.

## ABOUT \$15 SUITS.

A good many men make a practice of paying just \$15.00 for their suits—no more no less. These fifteen dollar spenders are cordially invited to come in and see what they can get for their money in a suit made by L. Adler, Bros. & Co., of Rochester, N. Y., whom we represent in this locality.

Our L. A. B. & Co. \$15.00 suits come in the newest and most popular effects. Their lines are artistic, their fitting qualities perfect, and they are unequalled for wear by any other ready made in the market.

Keep your \$15.00 in your inside pocket until you see us.

We also have a beautiful line at \$20.00, \$10.00 and \$12.00.

It will pay you to see our Boys' and Children's Suits. Best in Lima for the price.



**SOL WIESENTHAL,**  
139 North Main St.,  
LIMA, OHIO.

**Our Waists and Skirts Are the Standard of Excellence.**



Any garment you buy here you can depend on being right in quality, style, workmanship and fit. GOOD VALUE is also an important characteristic of our goods, our unexcelled buying facilities assure the very lowest prices.

## Walking Skirts

At \$1.98, \$2.50, \$2.98, \$3.50, \$3.98, \$5.00, \$6.50, \$7.50, \$8.50 and \$10.00—the very best at each price.

## Dress Skirts

At \$3.98, \$5.00, \$6.50, \$7.50, \$8.50, \$10.00, \$11.50, \$12.50 and up, incomparable values.

## WAISTS.

Very stylish garments in the pretty mercerized materials, mohairs, etc., etc. Beautiful goods at \$5.00, \$6.50, \$8.50, \$10.00, \$12.50, \$15.00, \$17.50, \$20.00, \$22.50, \$25.00, \$27.50, \$30.00, \$32.50, \$35.00, \$37.50, \$40.00, \$42.50, \$45.00, \$47.50, \$50.00, \$52.50, \$55.00, \$57.50, \$60.00, \$62.50, \$65.00, \$67.50, \$70.00, \$72.50, \$75.00, \$77.50, \$80.00, \$82.50, \$85.00, \$87.50, \$90.00, \$92.50, \$95.00, \$97.50, \$100.00, \$102.50, \$105.00, \$107.50, \$110.00, \$112.50, \$115.00, \$117.50, \$120.00, \$122.50, \$125.00, \$127.50, \$130.00, \$132.50, \$135.00, \$137.50, \$140.00, \$142.50, \$145.00, \$147.50, \$150.00, \$152.50, \$155.00, \$157.50, \$160.00, \$162.50, \$165.00, \$167.50, \$170.00, \$172.50, \$175.00, \$177.50, \$180.00, \$182.50, \$185.00, \$187.50, \$190.00, \$192.50, \$195.00, \$197.50, \$200.00, \$202.50, \$205.00, \$207.50, \$210.00, \$212.50, \$215.00, \$217.50, \$220.00, \$222.50, \$225.00, \$227.50, \$230.00, \$232.50, \$235.00, \$237.50, \$240.00, \$242.50, \$245.00, \$247.50, \$250.00, \$252.50, \$255.00, \$257.50, \$260.00, \$262.50, \$265.00, \$267.50, \$270.00, \$272.50, \$275.00, \$277.50, \$280.00, \$282.50, \$285.00, \$287.50, \$290.00, \$292.50, \$295.00, \$297.50, \$300.00, \$302.50, \$305.00, \$307.50, \$310.00, \$312.50, \$315.00, \$317.50, \$320.00, \$322.50, \$325.00, \$327.50, \$330.00, \$332.50, \$335.00, \$337.50, \$340.00, \$342.50, \$345.00, \$347.50, \$350.00, \$352.50, \$355.00, \$357.50, \$360.00, \$362.50, \$365.00, \$367.50, \$370.00, \$372.50, \$375.00, \$377.50, \$380.00, \$382.50, \$385.00, \$387.50, \$390.00, \$392.50, \$395.00, \$397.50, \$400.00, \$402.50, \$405.00, \$407.50, \$410.00, \$412.50, \$415.00, \$417.50, \$420.00, \$422.50, \$425.00, \$427.50, \$430.00, \$432.50, \$435.00, \$437.50, \$440.00, \$442.50, \$445.00, \$447.50, \$450.00, \$452.50, \$455.00, \$457.50, \$460.00, \$462.50, \$465.00, \$467.50, \$470.00, \$472.50, \$475.00, \$477.50, \$480.00, \$482.50, \$485.00, \$487.50, \$490.00, \$492.50, \$495.00, \$497.50, \$500.00, \$502.50, \$505.00, \$507.50, \$510.00, \$512.50, \$515.00, \$517.50, \$520.00, \$522.50, \$525.00, \$527.50, \$530.00, \$532.50, \$535.00, \$537.50, \$540.00, \$542.50, \$545.00, \$547.50, \$550.00, \$552.50, \$555.00, \$557.50, \$560.00, \$562.50, \$565.00, \$567.50, \$570.00, \$572.50, \$575.00, \$577.50, \$580.00, \$582.50, \$585.00, \$587.50, \$590.00, \$592.50, \$595.00, \$597.50, \$600.00, \$602.50, \$605.00, \$607.50, \$610.00, \$612.50, \$615.00, \$617.50, \$620.00, \$622.50, \$625.00, \$627.50, \$630.00, \$632.50, \$635.00, \$637.50, \$640.00, \$642.50, \$645.00, \$647.50, \$650.00, \$652.50, \$655.00, \$657.50, \$660.00, \$662.50, \$665.00, \$667.50, \$670.00, \$672.50, \$675.00, \$677.50, \$680.00, \$682.50, \$685.00, \$687.50, \$690.00, \$692.50, \$695.00, \$697.50, \$700.00, \$702.50, \$705.00, \$707.50, \$710.00, \$712.50, \$715.00, \$717.50, \$720.00, \$722.50, \$725.00, \$727.50, \$730.00, \$732.50, \$735.00, \$737.50, \$740.00, \$742.50, \$745.00, \$747.50, \$750.00, \$752.50, \$755.00, \$757.50, \$760.00, \$762.50, \$765.00, \$767.50, \$770.00, \$772.50, \$775.00, \$777.50, \$780.00, \$782.50, \$785.00, \$787.50, \$790.00, \$792.50, \$795.00, \$797.50, \$800.00, \$802.50, \$805.0